

Re: National Security Issue

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Thanks Kody. Your concern is well articulated and shared

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Colleagues,

I feel compelled to write to you simply to say what we are seeing in Ottawa and across the country is becoming what I believe to be akin to an insurrection.

By all accounts these protests are coordinated, include members with military/police background, are well-funded (including by foreign sources) and have gone beyond mere inconvenience of residents to targeting our airport, our economy, and our trade relationships. While I appreciate the jurisdictional element of policing this seems to be towards a path of a national security issue.

I do not have the information you have available as Cabinet members, and I can appreciate all of this is nuanced. But I fear if we do not undertake the necessary steps this issue will only get worse.

You have my full support, but I wanted to make my thoughts known.

Best,

Kody Blois, M.P.

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